

Attachment 1. Authorization and Eligibility Requirements

Authorizing Documentation

The Resolution dated March 24, 2011, wherein the San Francisquito Creek Joint Powers Authority approved the submittal of this proposal may be found as another document in this attachment.

Statutory Authority

The San Francisquito Creek Joint Powers Authority (SFCJPA) is a government agency formed in 1999 by the cities of Palo Alto, Menlo Park and East Palo Alto, and the Santa Clara Valley Water District and San Mateo County Flood Control District pursuant to authority in California Government Code Sections 6500-6536. It has the legal authority to enter into a grant agreement with the State of California. More information about the JPA may be found at the following link: <http://sfcjpa.org>.

GWMP Compliance

The JPA is not an agency involved in groundwater management and recharge, and this proposal does not having any groundwater management or recharge elements.

Consistency with an Adopted IRWM Plan

The proposed project has been listed and described in the IRWM Plan since its inception when it was adopted by most participating agencies in late 2006. An updated project description was reviewed along with other revised and new projects by the Bay Area IRWM Plan Project Selection Committee on March 10, 2011. On March 28, 2011, following the procedures outlined in Section G.1.3 of the Bay Area IRWM Plan and more refined later with the creation of the Project Selection Committee, the Coordinating Committee formally included the updated project description in the IRWM Plan. The updated Appendix G, *New Projects Added to the IRWMP* dated March 2011, may be found at the following link: <http://bairwmp.org/plan/appendix-g-new-projects-added-to-the-irwmp-as-of-march-28-2011>.